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50c Women's Silk Gloves, black and white. . 29c 10c Imported Stickerie Braid, all colors, 4 for . 29c 50c Boys' Gray Ribbed Union Suits......29c 75c Galatea Middy Boys' Fleece Underwear, a garment......29c Blouses, Men's Silk Hose......29c 59c 15c Men's White Foot Hose, 3 for 29c

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Van H. Manning, at Home Here, Addresses Assemblage in Reno, Nev.

LAUDS MINING PROGRESS

Across the 3.000 miles that stretch beween the National Capital and Reno, Nev., Van H. Manning, director of the United States bureau of mines, addressed a distinguished audience by

The Governor of Nevada, members of the state legislature and several men prominent in the mining industry ranged to take place at 9 o'clock, Nevada time, corresponding to midnight,
eastern time.

While seated in his home in Cleveland Park, Mr. Manning was notified
by Prof. J. G. Scrugham, dean of the
College of Engineering of the University of Nevada, that this gathering,
each one present with his ear to a receiver, was awaiting greetings from

Mr. Manning's Response

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Mr. Manning's response was, in part "The bureau of mines extends cordia "The bureau of mines extends cordial greetings to the citizens of the great mining state of Nevada. We have been watching the phenomenal increase in your mineral production from \$34,000,000 in 1915 to \$52,000,000 in 1916, or about 52 per cent. "The bureau of mines is interested in a state which can show mining dividends in one year of more than \$11,000,000, a per capita mineral production of nearly \$500 and a per capita dividend of more than \$1500.

Safety With Development.

ty car will be at your service for ty car will be at your service for greater safety. It will carry a mining engineer, a mine surgeon, a miner trained in rescue work and a miner trained in rescue work and a miner services under the auspices of the Eptrained in rescue work and a miner trained in first ald. Their collective duties shall be to co-operate with the miners, operators and state officials of Nevada and the mining districts of ad-joining states, as well as with the faculty and graduates of the Nevada School of Mines, in furthering safety, sanitation and health in your mines and mining communities."

Fate of Big Drinking Fountain May Be Decided Tuesday.

ITS REMOVAL SUGGESTED

cial Correspondence of The Star. ALEXANDRIA, Va., March 10 .- The ate of the big bronze public drinking fountain "for man and beast," located n the center of Cameron and Royal streets, now rests with the city council. Whether it will remain where it is or be placed at some other point will doubtless be determined by the city council at its meeting Tuesday night. This fountain was erected several years ago by Mount Vernon Chapter. Daughters of the American Revolution,

Pending Many Months. Property owners living in the vicinity of the fountain have petitioned the council for its removal, claiming it is a "nuisance." The petition has been pending for many months. The general laws committee, at the last regular meeting of the council, recommended that it be removed to some other point, and after a spirited debate action was deferred until the next regular meet-

At the time it was suggested that the wooden sheds at the south end of the market building be torn down and what is known as the market alley be converted into a court, with the fountain in the center of the proposed court. This plan is favored by many members

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The members of the Daughters of the American Revolution, however, are anxious to have the fountain remain where it is, and the property owners are anxious to have it removed and city council will pass upon the case Tuesday night.

Death of Mrs. Carter.

News was received here today of the death of Mrs. Ellen Shreve Carter, wife of Oscar Carter, a former resident of this city, which occurred at 4 o'clock this morning at her home in Charlottesville, Va. The deceased, with her husband and family, moved to Charlottesville several of the courty demanding to know whether there was any truth in the remove.

out-or-town speakers are expected to make addresses.

A number of matters of importance will be up for consideration at a called meeting of R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, which will be held Monday night at Lee Camp Hall.

The case of Silas Dempsey, indicted for assault, is slated to be tried at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning before a jury in the corporation court. Dempsey will be represented by Attorney C. Keith Carlin and the state will be represented by Commonwealth's Attorney S. G. Brent.

Union Lenten services will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday alght in Grace P. E. Church, and will be conducted by Rev. Canon Austin of Washington.

HUNGER DRIVES TEUTON MARYLAND RESIDENTS TO PEACE, SAYS KUHN WANT ROAD ACCEPTED

Former U. S. Military Attache at Plea to Prince Georges Commission-Berlin Says Germany Is Anxious ers for Outlet-News of Hyattsville and Vicinity. to End War.

HYATTSVILLE, Md., March 10 .- A lelegation of Prince Georges county will appear before the county commisthe intersection of Morse avenue, in Ensaid subdivision over Morse avenue, to get them." telephone at midnight last night. This Seymour street, Lindsley avenue and was a feature of the annual engineer-ing day celebration of the University of of the Sheriff and Chapel roads. Such Nevada and of the selection of Reno as the general headquarters for one of the new mine-safety stations of the bureau and contiguous sections to Seat Pleas-Nevada and of the bureau the general headquarters for one of the new mine-safety stations of the bureau with a mine-rescue car to respond to disaster, and to teach the miners first-aid and rescue work.

The Governor of Nevada, members

The Governor of Nevada, memb O. A. Kitchen, D. H. Gibbs, O. I. Gibbs, Joseph W. Corriden, Charles Hoopes, George W. Garrett, C. E. Henke, Kirk C. Miller, Andre A. Szatai, J. T. Pryor, Alvin E. Davis, Raleigh J. Stanberry, W. H. Trathen, W. E. Collis, H. W. Kline, Charles Just, Mr. Hensler, J. F. Reel, S. M. Ohle, W. M. Gillingham and A. T. Pusey. ified A. T. Pusey.

"Grounds Beautiful" Contest. range a "grounds beautiful" contest has been arranged. For the best lawn, garden, fruit, flowers and for the most generally attractive premises prizes will be given. The contest is open to esidents of Riverdale district. Con petitors must file their names before May 2. The contest is to close in September with an exhibit in the town hall. The grange is endeavoring to arrouse interest in a movement looking to a community library for Riverdale.
The appointment of a woman as a
member of the board of trustees of
the Riverdale School has been favored by the grange.

A meeting of the Riverdale Current
Topics Club is to be held at the home
of Mrs. W. B. Worley Tuesday after-

"We have always felt that with the development of mining must come the development of safety. This mine-safety car will be at your service for worth League of the church.

Virtually Clinch Championship.

Comets, leaders in the Hyattsville Duckpin League, virtually clinched the championship by defeating the Gladiators two out of three games last night. Not only would the Gladiators, who are in second position, have to win nearly all of their remaining

The store and residence of F. H. Stowers, on the Washington-Baltimore houlevard near Cottage City, were destroyed by fire late this afternoon. The

GERMAN PAPER CALLS U. S. DEBATING SOCIETY

Severely Criticises President Wilson's Comment on War; Calls Him Friend of England.

BERLIN, March 10, 2 p.m., via London,

12 BUSINESS HOUSES BURN.

Varnville, N. C., Suffers Loss by Fire Aggregating Over \$65,000. VARNVILLE, S. C., March 10 .- Prac-

ically every business house on both Gain in Merchant Tonnage.

The American merchant marine has made a net gain of 313,814 gross tons through registry changes since the European war began, the navigation bureau announced yesterday. Actually, however, a greater number of vessels a quantity of excelsion piled in a vacant left the American flag than came under it, but those taking American registry lim most instances were ships of large tonnage.

tically every business house on both sides of Main street was destroyed by sides of Main street was destroyed by tree and system of both sides of Main street was destroyed by tree all years of the sors of the store of \$65,000 and \$75,000. I. L. Lightsey as injured by falling timbers. Physicians say his condition is grave.

The fire originated in a lot separating the stores of G. W. Taylor and W. O. Guess. A number of banana cartons and a quantity of excelsion piled in a vacant space are believed to have been ignited by a lighted match. Twelve business houses on both sides of Main street was destroyed by Representative Sulloway Low.

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New Hampshire, who is critically ill with pneumonia at the New Varnum though the fire originated in a vacant space are believed to have been ignited by a lighted match. Twelve business houses suffered from the fire, with little insurance.

NEW YORK, March 10 .- Brig. Gen. Joseph E. Kuhn, president of the Army taxpayers has given notice that it War College, who until recently was the American military attache at Bersioners at Upper Marlboro soon to lin, declared in an address here tonight urge that body formally to accept a at the annual dinner of the alumni of road extending from the Pennsylvania West Point, that "the German people railroad bridge at Tuxedo southerly to are on the edge of starvation," and "Germany is prepared to entertain glewood subdivision; thence through terms of peace and to go a long way

wildcat by the tail. He needs no help Governors Island and conferred with an o hold on, but would like some to Mai Gen Leggard Wood commanding is let go.
"And what does the world war mean

And what does the world war mean to the United States? One thing is certain and that is if we manage to keep out we will have all the money in the world, and Europe will have all the guns."

LABOR MEN TO CONFER

Representatives of 3,000,000 Workers Affiliated With Federation Are to Meet Here Tomorrow.

To determine and announce the parthat the workingman of the country shall take in the formulation of policies of preparedness and defense of the nation in the present crisis repre sentatives of the 3,000,000 trade union ists affiliated in the American Federation of Labor will hold a conference here tomorrow.

Plans for this gathering have been discussed in executive sessions by the council of the federation for the last games, but the Comets would have to lose nearly all of theirs to enable the former quint to overtake the latter. A delegation of clitzens from Surratts district recently appeared before the county commissioners and asked them to purchase about four acres of land, owned by Phil Miller and adjoining Surrattsville High School, to be used for a base ball field and for agricultural purposes. The commissioners appointed a committee composed of T. B. Middleton, Joseph H. Blandford, jr., and E. S. Burroughs to have a survey made of the land. The commissioners agreed to buy the property. The delegation was composed of Prof. F. B. Gwynn, principal of the Surrattsville High School; George W. Hardy, former sheriff and treasurer; J. A. Carrico, John B. Lennon, and these vice presidents. James Duncan, James O'Connell, Joseph F. Valentine, John R. Alpine, H. B. Terhan, Frank Duffy, William Green and W. B. Mahon.

It is predicted that this gathering will be one of the most notable ever assembled by the A. F. of L. Significance is attached to the fact that Mr. Gompers is a member of the advisory commission of the council of national defense. Through his association with this body, Mr. Gompers is regarded as peculiarly fitted to propose a preparedness plan.

It is generally felt that the conference will take the necessary action to preclude strikes, such as those which for a while seriously affected the work of Great Britain and her allies.

Call for the Meeting. games, but the Comets would have to nounced. The members of the council

Call for the Meeting.

In his call for the meeting Mr. Gompers said: "There is an immediate, critical situation which the labor move from a gas or an oil stove, located in ment must meet at once. National confrom a gas or an oil stove, located in one of the upstairs rooms. Chemical engines from Hyattsville and Mount Rainier responded, but the fire had the people, have the right to demand

Rainier responded, but the fire had gained such headway that their efforts proved futile. The property was owned by Charles M. Lightbown.

The Hyattsville Men's Club met in the parish hall of Pinkney Memorial Church tonight. Athletic activities for the spring were discussed, following which refreshments were served.

He people, have the right to demand that the interests of humans shall, under all circumstances, be made paramount to the interests of property. General policies now being in the making, organized labor cannot delay in expressing itself upon the present and impending critical situation, Mr. Gompers believes.

DENIES HE WILL GIVE UP HIS SEAT IN THE SENATE

Gov. Hiram Johnson Says Statements to That Effect Are Wholly and Absolutely False.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 10 .- Conjectural reports that Hiram Johnson plans to relinquish his United States senatorship in favor of Chester H. Rowell of Fresno, national republican com-March 11, 4:16 a.m.—The reported ut- mitteeman, and to retain his present terances of President Wilson on the occasion of the luncheon at the White er of denials today. The governor per-

morning at her home in Charlottesville, Va. The deceased, with her husband and family, moved to Charlottesville several family, moved to Charlottesville several years ago. She had been in ill health a long time.

"Mr. Wilson is thus gradually lifting the mask of a peace-loving neutral, which he never quite affixed so firmly that it was impossible to recognize his true face. He now abandons all reny carrenand a son, Gardner Lloyd Caure, N. J.

Civil Service Examinations.

The local board of civil service examiners announces that the following examinations will be held here during the month of April: Assistant pharmacologs, male; nautical expert, male; assistant curator, section of wood technology, male; statistical scientist, male; structural engineer and draftsman, male; technical assistant in pharmacology, male; engineer, male: Indian service had been defined assistant in pharmacology, male; engineer, male; maule; male; maule; male; male; male; male; male; structural engineer and draftsman, male; technical assistant in pharmacology, male; engineer, male; male;

records.

Blanche, who lives at 128 N street southeast, said she was on her way home with the week end marketing, accompanied by a small boy, when the footpad suddenly appeared. She said she had a good look at the would-be robber and gave the police a description of him.

Sir Sam Hughes Confers With Special Correspondence of The Star.
RICHMOND, March 10.—William H.

Gen. Wood at Governors Island.

TRIBUTE TO U. S. SOLDIERS

NEW YORK, March 10 .- The belief that, in the event of war between the United States and Germany, American officers fighting with the forces of Canada should have no difficulty in ob-"How long the war will last." exclaimed Gen. Kuhn. "This question is frequently asked. I answer, I do not know. It would seem as if the strain must soon tell and that some one of the principal nations would break.

"From a purely military standpoint, there is no ground for believing that a reciprocity." Sir Sam declared. "There

reciprocity," Sir Sam declared. "There should be no legal steps in the way But your Yankees would mighty soon get into shape." Economic conditions are trying everywhere, especially in the case of the middle powers.

"It is certain that the German people are on the edge of starvation and the bravest man will succumb to an empty stomach. I believe Germany is prepared to entertain terms of peace and to go a long way to get them. Her case is that of the man who has caught a wildcat by the tail. He needs no help.

Generous Esland, and conferred with

Mai. Gen. Leonard Wood, commanding the Department of the East. Of his consay nothing, declaring that in view of the international situation confronting America he did not feel free to tall

Calls It Act of War. Sir Sam expressed keen interest in the State Department's ruling that armed American merchantmen may fire

upon German submarines at sight. "If the government has done that it is an act of war," he exclaimed. "It neans nothing else. But Germany has already committed acts of war on the Inited States in many ways and many

Sir Sam alluded to the Zimmermann Sir Sam alluded to the Zimmermann note inciting Mexico to invite Japan to form an alliance against the United States in case of war with Germany. "It shows that Germany is pretty badly done for," he said. "It shows also that Germany has no appreciation of America's position in world affairs.

Would Prove Worthy of Sires.

"If there is war." he added, "the ankees of today will prove they have not degenerated from those of years ago. I have been acquainted with conditions in the United States Army for wenty or thirty years. Your soldiers are among the finest to be found any where and the spirit of liberty is still mighty strong in the United States."

Sir Sam expressed his opinion that German submarines would never get near enough to New York to shell the to the United States, on board, will ar-

stroy them all within a week. Last fall Germany sent out twenty-one sub-marines within one week and there were only five which were not de-stroyed or captured two weeks later."

FOOTPADS GET EIGHT YEARS.

Two Bandits Sentenced for Highway Robberies at Hopewell, Va.

Padgett and W. L. Wheeler have been sentenced in Hopewell corporation court to serve eight years for high way robbery. They confessed. The men tramped to this section, went to Hopewell and there held up several persons at the point of a gun. They were brought to Henrico jail for safe-keening, and there they made a mur-derous attack on Jalier Garnett in an attempt to escape, flooring him with a heavy iron bar. They are to stand trial for that crime.

The nien claimed to have come here from Pennsylvania, but said they were

from Pennsylvania, but said they were from Ohio. Officers believe they have made a big capture and the men will tributed all over the country

FIRE IN MARTINSBURG.

Early Morning Blaze Partly Destroys Business Building.

Special Dispatch to The Star.
MARTINSBURG, W. Va., March 10.-Fire early today partly destroyed the the heart of the business district, oc- deposited at the assay office here today cupied by the lace store of A. J. Ham-Charles E. Thompson.

The loss on the lace store is placed at \$8,000; on the Thompson store, \$700, and on the building, \$2,000. The loss is covered by insurance.

The fremen fought for an hour to prevent the blaze spreading to adjoining property. ng property.

BIG FOOD STOCKS IN CHICAGO. Police Census Shows \$12,864,419

Worth in Retail Stores. CHICAGO March 10 -Foodstuffs 1 Chicago's retail markets have a value of \$12,864,419, according to reports made today by commanders of the forty-five city police precincts, under whose orders retail stores have been

inspected. The information gathered by the po lice will be turned over to the federal authorities who are inquiring into the cost of foods.

New Mexico Assembly Adjourns. SANTA FE, N. M., March 10 .- The came to a close today. Among impor-tant legislation was the highway bill, state budget system bill, Australian ballot law and submission of a prohibition amendment. The equal suffrage amendment, favored by both parties, failed of adoption.

Bernstorff Near Copenhagen. COPENHAGEN, via London, March

10 .- It is expected that the steamship to the United States, on board, will ar-"But suppose all the German sub- rive here Sunday afternoon if it is no arines in the universe did succeed in held up by ice. Count von Bernstorff, etting into New York harbor. They it is understood, intends to proceed to build not do much harm," he said. "A Berlin immediately if he can catch a few fast yachts would be able to de- regular train or get a special.

WILL VISIT CIVILIAN CAMPS.

Gen. Pershing Hopes Many Will Take Military Training. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 10 .-

Gen. Pershing today announced his in tention of spending as much time as camps which will be held at various points in the Southern Department during the spring and summer season. He will take an active part in direction of

these camps. With the government paying ex-Pershing believes a large number of citizens will take advantage of the opportunity to train. There will be camps at Austin, Dallas, Houston, Alexandria, La., and Las Vegas, N. M.

Auto Concern's Income, \$17,599,689. TOLEDO, Ohio, March 10 .- The net ncome of the Willys-Overland Com annual report issued by the company today. Of the net income \$10,016,420 represents the net earnings and the balance the premiums received on securities. Increased dividends on both preferred and common stock were declared during the year.

Canada Sends \$8,000,000 in Gold. NEW YORK, March 10.-Eight mil-Homrich building, on Queen street, in lion dollars in gold from Canada was to the account of J. P. Morgan & Co mann and the shoe establishment of This brings the total gold imports this

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